## STATE OF NEW YORK PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 14-M-0565 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Examine Programs to Address Energy Affordability for Low Income Utility Customers.

CASE 23-M-0298 - In the Matter of Budget Appropriations to Enhance Energy Affordability Programs.

NOTICE SCHEDULING EAP WORKING GROUP MEETINGS
(Issued June 5, 2023)

In its Order Adopting Energy Affordability Policy Modifications and Directing Utility Filings, issued on August 12, 2021, in Cases 14-M-0565 and 20-M-0266, the Public Service Commission (Commission) directed Department of Public Service staff (Staff) to convene a stakeholder Energy Affordability Policy (EAP) Working Group for all interested entities to participate in the advisement of improving the EAP. Staff convened the initial EAP Working Group on September 28, 2021, and, with limited exceptions, the Working Group has met biweekly since that time. The EAP Working Group will continue to meet every other Tuesday, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The next bi-weekly meeting is scheduled for June 6, 2023.

The fiscal year 2023-2024 budget included an appropriation to the Department of Public Service of \$200 million intended to provide "prompt assistance to utility customers related to the costs of utility affordability programs authorized by the Public Service Commission and administered by the Department of Public Service, in consultation with the energy affordability policy working group."

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, in addition to the regularly scheduled meetings, the EAP Working Group will also convene on

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 2023-2024 New York State Budget - Aid to Localities Appropriation (Chapter 53 of the Laws of 2023), p. 1189.

Tuesday, June 13, 2023, with that meeting and subsequent EAP Working Group meetings primarily focused on the implementation of the fiscal year 2023-2024 budget appropriation. All interested entities are welcome and encouraged to attend and participate.

To register to attend future EAP Working Group meetings, please email your contact information to <a href="mailto:craig.carroll@dps.ny.gov">craig.carroll@dps.ny.gov</a>. If you have already registered to attend the EAP Work Group meetings, no additional action is needed. Working Group meetings will be conducted via WebEx and access information for future meetings will be provided to those who register.

Questions regarding this notice should be directed to craig.carroll@dps.ny.gov or francis.dwyer@dps.ny.gov.

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